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Good Afternoon Maja and Bill,

Enclosed is DEC's Response(s) to EPA's comments on the draft *Decision Document for Site-Specific Criteria (SSC) for Bass Creek, Middle Creek and Lone Creek, Tributaries of the Chuit River and Lower Chuit River to Tidewater Terminus* and *Decision Document for Reclassification of Designated Use (Agriculture) on Bass Creek, Middle Creek, and Lone Creek, Tributaries of the Chuit River* (both dated 07-25-14). DEC considers this document to address all EPA comments submitted to DEC on December 12, 2014, January 8, 2015, and March 25, 2015 and provides the necessary information needed to advance this project.

DEC requests that EPA review the attached document and arrange a time to meet with DEC and the project applicant to discuss its key points. **DEC requests that such a meeting take place by June 18, 2015**.

Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions or concerns.

Thank you,

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